





- Drawing: A public drawing will be held.
  You do not need to be present. If you are selected you will be notified in writing.
  All selected pre-applications will be forwarded to Action for a Better Community (ABC) for processing.
- Review: ABC will review the selected pre-applications to confirm compliance with the requirements. Those that meet the requirements will be sent to the City.
- Letter of Approval: City will send homeowners a letter of approval outlining the next steps.
- City Evaluation: The City will evaluate the condition of the property, giving first priority to those with health or safety concerns.
- Contractor Evaluation: The assigned contractor will meet with homeowner to prepare a scope of work and cost estimate.
- Formal Agreement: The City will hold a meeting with the homeowner and contractor to formalize the scope of work and establish a timeline on the project.

Project Completion: A City representative will provide periodic inspections of the project during the construction period. A final inspection will take place when the project is complete. Homeowners will be asked to sign a completion certificate which will document the homeowner's satisfaction of the project. If the homeowner is not satisfied, the City will make every reasonable effort to ensure a positive outcome. An invoice will be issued by the contractor to the City and payment will be made within 30 days.

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his assistance will help cover the cost of a roof replacement and other related repairs such as gutters, downspouts, roof flashing and minor chimney repair. Repairs not related to the roof are not eligible. Pre-existing damages to the interior of the property caused by a leaking roof are not covered through this program. The work will be done by an approved City contractor. Owners are not allowed to perform their own work.

## **Program Requirements**

- Applicants must be at least 18 years old and be a U.S. citizen or a legal resident alien.
- Applicants must own a single-family residential structure located in the city of Rochester and occupy such property as their principle place of residency, as evidenced by a recorded property deed.
- Participants must sign an agreement with the City which requires the owner to live at the property for a period of 3 years after project completion. The owner cannot sell the property during the compliance period.

 Household income cannot exceed 50% of the area median income as per the chart below.
 This calculation includes all occupants over age 18 receiving income from, but not limited to: employment, public assistance, social security, retirement benefits, disability or unemployment benefits.

Household Size	30% Income Limit	50% Income Limit
1	\$14,100	\$23,450
2	\$16,100	\$26,800
3	\$18,100	\$30,150
4	\$20,100	\$33,500
5	\$21,750	\$36,200
6	\$23,350	\$38,900
7	\$24,950	\$41,550
8	\$26,550	\$44,250

 Participants must make a financial contribution toward the project based on the annual income of the household as per the above income chart.

% of Area Median Income	Contribution	
0-30	\$50	
31-50	\$250	

- Applicants cannot have received financial assistance through a City housing rehabilitation program in the past 7 years.
- City of Rochester property taxes must be up to date or owner must be current with payments under a City tax agreement.

## **How the Program Works**

Submit Pre-application: Review the requirements and submit a pre-application at your Neighborhood Service Center during these two application periods:

February 18-March 17, 2015 (drawing date March 18, 2015) or May 19-June 18, 2015 (drawing date June 19, 2015.)

Location	Address	Phone
Northeast	500 Norton St.	428-7660
Southeast	320 N. Goodman St., Ste 209	428-7640
Northwest	71 Parkway	428-7620
Southwest	923 Genesee St.	428-7630